

Application No.: 10/506,886
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Remarks/Arguments:

Fig. 11 was objected because reference numeral 1105 should be 11015. Accordingly, Fig. 11 has been amended.

Claims 1-3, 5-9, 11-13, 16-19, 21-26, 28-31, 33-47, 50-53 and 55-60 and 62-64 are pending in the above-identified application. Claims 4, 10, 14-15, 20, 27, 32, 48-49 and 54 and 61 are cancelled.

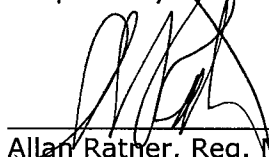
Claims 19-20 and 53-54 were objected to as being unduly multiplied. Accordingly, claims 20 and 54 have been cancelled.

Claims 2-3, 22, 25, 31, 34 and 38 were objected to not distinctly claiming the subject matter. These claims have been appropriately amended.

Claims 16, 27, 50 and 61 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph as being indefinite. The rejection of claims 27 and 61 are moot due to the cancellation of these claims. Claims 16 and 50 have been appropriately amended.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, this Application is in condition for allowance which action is respectfully requested.

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Attachment: Figure 11 (1 sheet)

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